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MEMORANDUM

TO: State Apiary Inspectors, Research and Extension Apiculturists,  
Program Participants and MAAREC Members

FROM: I. Barton Smith, Jr.

SUBJECT: Apiary Inspector's Workshop

Attached, please find a copy of the program for the 32<sup>nd</sup> Apiary Inspector's Workshop which will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday March 7 and 8, 2006 at the USDA Henry A. Wallace Agricultural Research Center in Beltsville, Maryland. I am looking forward to seeing each of you.

The Tuesday and Wednesday morning sessions will be held at building 003 in room 20. This building is located on Circle Drive near U.S. Route 1 (Baltimore Boulevard) about ½ mile north of Washington Beltway Exit 25. The Wednesday afternoon session will be held at the Bee Research Laboratory, building 476, Entomology Road. (See attached map.)

A MAAREC meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon, March 8 at Building 003 in room 20. MAAREC members are invited to attend all earlier sessions of the Inspector's Workshop.

**PLEASE NOTE:** All USDA buildings are locked due to security and a visitor's badge is required. Visitor's badges can be obtained at the reception desk inside the front main entrance of building 003 (ring door bell). The building 003 reception desk phone number is 301-504-5330.

If you need lodging, please make your own reservations. There is a College Park Holiday Inn at 10000 Baltimore Avenue, College Park, MD 20740, 301-345-6700. It is less than ½ mile from the meeting site. The internet room rate is \$114.00 plus 10% tax (see <http://www.holiday-inn.com>). Alternately, you can stay at the Fairfield Inn which is approximately 3 miles from the meeting site at 4050 Powder Mill Road, Beltsville, MD 20705, 301-572-7100. The internet room rate is \$129.00 plus 10% tax (see <http://marriott.com/fairfieldinn/default.mi>).

There is no fee or advanced registration required to attend the Apiary Inspector's Workshop.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me at 301-504-8821 or [smithb@ba.ars.usda.gov](mailto:smithb@ba.ars.usda.gov).

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